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Jo Anne:

Thank you for your prompt response and provision of the language. Recognizing that there are several new Commissioners, and to ensure that adequate time is provided to meet future deadlines, it would be helpful if you or Jocelyn could advise the new Commissioners that providing a notice to

DESC's approximately 753,000 electric customers via a special mailing is no small undertaking and cannot be accomplished overnight (The Company has provided the Commission information about the expense and the time required for provision of notices in the past). That said, the Company will do its best to draft a Notice and get it to the printers by noon tomorrow in order to meet the December 1 deadline.

Thank you again for your prompt response.

Matt

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Good evening Matt. Attached is a copy of the Commission's Directive.

The Motion that Commissioner Carolee Williams made, which was adopted by the Commission, along with the amendment of Commission Thomas adding the December 1st, 2020 deadline for Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc. (DESC) to issue/send the Notice and for any inperson hearing to comply with DHEC and CDC guidelines, is provided below. Please note that the Notice of these additional public hearings is to be provided by and written by the Company. I have highlighted the language just in case. I hope that this helps you and answers your questions and email. If you or any other party need anything else, please advise by email.

COMMISSION ACTION:

Vice Chair Belser and fellow Commissioners, in the case of 2020-125-E, the Application of Dominion Energy South Carolina, Incorporated, for adjustment of rates and charges, the Commission announced three virtual public hearings for November 9th, 10th, and 12th via two press releases and through its quarterly electronic newsletter. The Commission wishes to thank those who helped to promote these hearings, including but certainly not limited to AARP and the South Carolina Farm Bureau, amongst many others, I'm sure. In addition, the Commission prepared a video which walked consumers through the process of online testifying. As a result, there were 225 people who preregistered to participate in the night rate hearings.

Over the course of the evenings of November 9th, 10th, and 12th, the Public Service Commission heard testimony from 82 customers and we had 748 people who attended via the Commission's livestreaming of these hearings.

I move, in order to provide robust and safe opportunities for Dominion customers to provide additional opportunities to testify regarding the DESC rate case, that the Commission offer two additional public hearings for customers who wish to testify via telephone conference and for customers who wish to testify in person in the Commission's hearing room — 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina — to be held on Tuesday, January 5th, 2021, beginning at 1 p.m. and until 6 p.m., and also on Thursday, January 7th, 2021, beginning at 6 p.m. and concluding at 9 p.m.

The Commission further directs DESC to inform its residential customers of this additional opportunity both electronically, if the customer receives the customer's bill electronically, and via direct mailings, if the customer does not receive an electronic bill, and fully reflect the announcement is being provided by and written by Dominion. The Notice must be issued by Dominion no later than December 1st, 2020. With any in person public hearing, the Commission shall follow and operate the public in-person hearing in accordance with the proper DHEC or CDC guidelines for the safety and welfare of those persons participating and/or in the hearing room.

Dominion must inform its customers through this Notice with the following additional instructions:

- 1. On or before Wednesday, January 6th, 2021, no later than 4:45 p.m., any person desiring to testify as a public witness shall provide the Commission (a) your name, and (b) the telephone number that you wish the Commission to call during the hearing to receive your testimony. Your name and telephone number may be provided to the Commission in two ways: by e-mailing communications@psc.sc.gov or by calling 803-896-5133.
- 2. Please indicate whether you intend to testify via telephone conference or in person and whether you intend to testify on Tuesday, January 5th, 2021, or on Thursday, January 7th, 2021.
- 3. Also, be advised that you will be called in the order you signed up to speak. If you request to testify in person, the Commission will notify you when to enter the building, via text or telephone call. Further, the Commission will arrange to clean before and after each witness and will limit witnesses to one in the hearing room at a time.

I so move.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you.

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Jo Anne & Jocelyn:

At the Commission's agenda meeting this afternoon, the Commission voted to schedule two additional public night hearings and to require the Company to provide notice to Customers by special mailing no later than December 1. At this time, DESC has not received the notice that the Commission wishes for DESC to provide to its Customers. The purpose of this email is to inform you that, as a result of the Thanksgiving Holidays, for the Company to meet the December 1 deadline the Company will need to have the approved notice to the printers **tomorrow by noon**. **If the Company is to have any chance to make the deadline, the Company will need to have a Word version of the notice from the Commission by 9 a.m. tomorrow morning (Thursday) or earlier if possible.** Upon receipt of the Word version from the Commission and before sending the mailer to the printer, the Company will still have to configure the notice to fit a special mailer.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this time-sensitive matter.

Matt

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